

vanced from 85.62 1-2 to 85.22 1-2 francs, exchanged on London being 23.23 francs to the pound sterling.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

For North River, Vessels and Railroads.

ST. LOUIS, ALTON AND TERRE HAUTE		
(Branch lines)	1888.	1889.
Number of miles.....	181,188	181,541
Second week in Aug.	81,203	82,425
CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN.	1888.	1889.
Number of miles.....	327,923	530,885
Second week in Aug.	107,345	110,420
BALTIMORE AND OHIO.	1888.	1889.
Number of miles.....	147,103	161,629
Gross earnings.....	\$1,255,542	\$1,253,375
Operating expenses.....	502,012	502,012
Net earnings.....	\$653,530	\$651,363
Differences.....	-\$2,167	-\$2,167
OCTOBER 1 to July 31.	1888.	1889.
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EUROPEAN FINANCIAL MARKETS.

London, Aug. 22.—P.—Canadian Pacific, 63; New Mexico, 100%; St. Paul, common, 78%; New Mexico Central, 100%; Mexican Central 4% per cent.

Money at 5% per cent.

Number of discounts in the open market for short time, 5% per cent.

Bank of England 3 per cent rents at 85 francs.

Price paid for the account and exchange on London 50 francs 28 cents for checks and 50 francs 25 cents for checks into the Bank of England.

The amount of gold in the Bank of England is 5,000 pounds.

The bullion in the Bank of England has increased 100,000 pounds during the month.

The quantity of the Bank of England's reserve is 43.71 per cent.

THE STATE OF TRADE.

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS.

COFFEE.—On the spot had a moderate inquiry and prices were firmly marked. The market was moderately quiet, but steady, and the market was dull and perfectly featureless, with only a small scalping business.

Steading prevailed at the outset, after a decline of 10 to 15 points, closing about the bottom.

Raw coffee, 100 lbs., 14c. 15c. 16c. 17c. 18c.

Bags, 100 lbs., 14c. 15c. 16c. 17c. 18c.

Cocoa, 100 lbs., 1